



# Media Information

Columbus Division of Police  
Traffic Bureau / Accident Investigation Unit

Date: 05/15/2021

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Type of Offense/Incident: Fatal Traffic Crash

Date: 05/15/2021

Time: 03:03 AM

Location of Offense/Incident: SR 315 & Lane Avenue

Zone: 4

Precinct: 4

Incident Report #: 210337609

Cruiser District: 40

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**Incident Summary:** On 05/15/2021 at approximately 3:03 a.m., Mr. John Doe was driving southbound on State Route 315 approaching Lane Avenue in a 2007 Honda Civic. At this same time Emily Pratt (31) of Pataskala, OH was driving northbound in the southbound lanes of State Route 315, approaching the same location in a 2020 Honda CR-V. The two vehicles became involved in a head-on collision and the involved drivers were transported to the OSU Wexner Medical Center with injuries. Mr. John Doe was later pronounced dead at 4:00 a.m. on this same date.

The Accident Investigation Unit responded to the scene and initiated an investigation, which is ongoing.

The identity of Mr. John Doe is being withheld pending official identification & notification of next-of-kin.

This is the 29th reported fatal motor vehicle crash, having resulted in 32 fatalities, within the city limits of Columbus, Ohio in the year of 2021.

**\*\*UPDATE\*\***- John Doe has been identified as Julio Martinez-Martinez (35) of Grove City, OH.

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